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Applicant(s): ISHIBASHI, et al.

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SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

Further in response to the Final Rejection mailed July 23, 2003, and in light of the Advisory Action mailed February 17, 2004; and subsequent to the Notice of Appeal filed January 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.